

EXTRA SPECIAL!

For 10 days only these great special prices will prevail. Don't ask for them on the 11th day because they will not be here. Commencing December 17th and continuing until December 28th you will have this great opportunity to make your holiday presents.

100 Men's Suits of our \$15, \$16, \$17 and \$18 styles go at \$11.95

THESE COMPRISE EVERY NEW WEAVE, COLOR AND FABRIC.

Men's \$7.50 Overcoats \$4.39

All Boys' Clothing 1-4 off regular price. Pick out any Boys' Suit in the house and deduct 1-4 THAT'S ALL.

The Famous
SOLE AGENTS FOR
CARHARTT'S WORK CLOTHES.
HAWES' HATS. TIGER HATS.
HANAN SHOES. DOUGLAS SHOES.
AND THE BEST OF OTHER LINES.



The Famous
REMEMBER ON JANUARY FIRST AT
NOON WE GIVE AWAY
\$50.00 IN GOLD.
SEE THAT YOU GET TICKETS WITH YOUR
PURCHASE.

Boys' 50c, 60c and 75c hats only	39c
Boys' Knee Pants	17c
Boys' Guaranteed not to Rip Corduroy Pants	50c
Big Line Men's Winter Weight Pants	\$1.39
Men's Blanket Lined Canvas Coats	98c
Sargent Gauntlet Gloves Fire and Waterproof	75c
Heavy Fleece 75c Undershirts only	25c
Men's Heavy Sweaters, worth 75c	45c
Overalls and Jumpers, good weight,	39c
Men's White Laundered Dress Shirts	25c
Men's Wool Knit Gloves	19c
Men's Columbia Hats	39c
Men's 75c Work Shirts	37c
All Silk Initial Handkerchiefs	25c
Blue Mixed Flannel Shirts	69c
Men's Suits, \$7.50 grades, only	\$4.95
Men's Fine \$10 Fancy Black Worsteds	\$6.95

Don't forget that all of our goods are absolutely new. This season's make We have no goods that are so old that you would think they were made for the Pre-historic man.....

No Old Goods nor Rusty Prices Here.

Every year the custom swings further away in giving presents, to give something of only momentary value. Remember, whatever is wearable--is givable--and acceptable. We have a fine line of Holiday Wearables. Neckwear, Mufflers, Slippers, Night Robes, Umbrellas, Underwear, Silk Handkerchiefs, Fine Gloves, plain and silk lined, Fine Suspenders, New Sweaters, Fine Suit Cases, Fine Caps, Etc. Everything suitable for the male members of the family.

THE FAMOUS CLOTHING HOUSE

INAUGURATORS OF LOW PRICES.

THE PLACE THE NOBBY STYLES COME FROM.



The News at Hemingford.

KEITH L. PIERCE, REPORTER.

Additional Local.

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J. S. Kaper was in town Wednesday. Joel A. Sheldon was in Hemingford Saturday.

James Moravek was in from Canton Wednesday.

Clyde Whelan left for Iowa Wednesday night.

C. J. Wildy is putting in a car load of fence posts.

W. L. Jewell of Canton was in on business Saturday.

All the section hands have been laid off except Homer Rolland.

J. J. Smith was over on business from Chadron Wednesday.

Victor Johnson has gone to Alliance to get a position in the shops.

B. Blotchy brought a car load of potatoes from John Sauerwein.

John Kinsley and family have moved into rooms in the Sherwood house.

Almeda and Blanche Fosket spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in the country.

H. B. Harris of Mitchell, father of Mrs. F. H. Bird, paid Mrs. Bird and family a visit Saturday and Sunday.

Ernest Oldag writes from Atkinson, Neb., that he likes the country there and that possibly he may locate there.

Mrs. Fred Neeland and Mrs. Bradford Fenner were in town Saturday and Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wildy.

J. H. Shirk went out to Baumgardner's Tuesday for treatment. If he is not benefited he will go to the Methodist hospital at Omaha.

K. L. Pierce and H. R. Green returned from grand jury service at Omaha Thursday. The grand jury has taken a recess until January 6.

Miss Katie Bame came up from Alliance Thursday to see her mother who has been quite ill. At this writing Mrs. Bame is slightly better.

The social members of the Royal Highlanders will please pay their dues by the last of December so that the remittance may be made to the executive castle.

There is some talk of putting in a switch board here in connection with the telephone service. It ought to be done. The system of rings now in vogue is cumbersome and annoying.

The M. E. Ladies' Aid bazar held in the postoffice last Saturday was a complete success. Booths were tastefully decorated and filled with the handiwork of the members of the society.

Rev. C. E. Connell invites you to call at the M. E. parsonage and see his line of holiday books before purchasing your supply of Christmas presents. He also is agent for Epworth organs and pianos.

E. L. Everett, Hemingford's new barber, is working up quite a patronage. His prices are right, twenty-five cents for a hair cut and ten cents for a shave. He is a first-class workman and merits the patronage he is receiving.

Dewitt Eager has sold out at Pierce where he went when he left here last December and has located at Spragg, Neb. He has put up a new store and has bought a ranch and expresses himself as well pleased with the change.

A. M. Miller is buying all kinds of grain and will start the mill to running as soon as possible. We understand that he will have a first-class miller here on the 20th. This will be acceptable news to the people of this vicinity.

A. M. Miller went down to the sand hills Friday where he has been keeping his cattle and started to drive them through to Hemingford but owing to the deep snow was compelled to load them in cars. He arrived here Wednesday morning.

The Woodmen have elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Isaac Rickell, Venerable Consul; F. W. Huckle, Worthy Advisor; H. F. Goodenough, Excellent Banker; Harold Olds, Escort; Clark Olds, Clerk; Victor Johnson, Sentry; James Friel, manager; Frank Shimek, manager.

Some of our citizens are discussing the advisability of calling a mass meeting to consider the range question. While in all probability this question will be decided in Washington and local resolutions, etc., have but little or no effect, it might be well for each community to express its opinion of the proper solution formally and forward it to Washington. The present agitation of the question is the result of the anxiety of the government to preserve the public lands to the people of the country. It is extremely improbable that there will be any change in public policy. Therefore it is fair to assume that in the near future the fences will come down and it is for those to be affected to adjust themselves to the new conditions as rapidly as it is possible for them to do so.

I find Sheridan coal a very satisfactory coal for furnace use.—F. P. RUGG, 1206 K street, Lincoln, Neb., May 31, 1902.

The Alliance fire department is making strides in the matter of being equipped and prepared for anything of the nature of a conflagration that may occur. Perhaps the two or three fires of recent dates may have something to do with it although the department has been more than amply able to cope with any fires that have broken out; and, moreover, the occupation tax paid by the fire insurance companies that are doing business in the city is now available to expend for anything required by the department. Chief Blackburn has just purchased 600 feet of new hose, making 1500 feet in all. A portion of the old hose is somewhat worn, so that the new hose was considered a necessity, as in severe weather worn parts of the hose might freeze and render the company unable to give assistance when needed. A meeting in the city council chamber has been called for December 24. The company is not full now and the chief urgently desires sufficient enlistments to fill it to the required number, enlistments preferably to be from the ranks of the business men of the city.

JULES SANDOZ IN LIMBO.

Sheridan County Man, Well Known in Alliance, Thinks He Ought to Be in Congress Instead of in Jail.

A special to the daily papers from Rushville under date of December 16, has the following to say of Jules Sandoz, an eccentric individual who resides northeast of Alliance: "Jules Sandoz, who was found guilty of assaulting a couple of his neighbors by shooting a rifle in their direction, or at them, and fined \$100 and costs and who is being confined in jail until the same is paid, was before the court today with a motion which read as follows: 'I want my judgment arrested at once because how could I assault my neighbors when a quarter of a mile away. Do this and I will ever pray.' When he was told that his motion was overruled he said: 'Sheriff, I and Roosevelt are just alike. He is a western man; he is a hunter, he is a good shot, he is self-educated, but he is president and I am a prisoner.' Jules is a great hunter and expert marksman and it is said he has killed more wolves and skunks than any man in Nebraska. Since the court would not arrest his sentence, Jules puts in a good deal of his time figuring out how long it will take him after he gets out to make his fine and costs shooting wolves, skunks and coyotes. He also figures on writing a book entitled 'The injustice of America to a genius and scholar who ought to be in congress, but is in jail.'"

NEW PAPER AT FREMONT.

Will M. Maupin will be Principal Editorial Writer.

A special to the News-Herald from Fremont, Dec. 16, says:—There will be a new democratic paper started in Fremont about January 1. Waldo Wintersteen will be the principal owner and manager of the paper, and about twenty democrats through the county will hold stock in the corporation. Will Maupin of Lincoln will be the principal editorial writer, but will not remove to Fremont.

The capital stock of \$4,000 has all been subscribed and the stockholders will hold their first meeting the last of this week or the first of next to decide on a name for the paper, and the frequency of its publication. It will be either a tri-weekly or a daily and may be both. The projectors are all well known democrats.

Mr. Maupin's writings in THE HERALD during the last six months is evidence to the people of this section that the new company has made no mistake in the selection of an editorial writer. The newspaper men of the state look up to Will Maupin. Success to the new enterprise.

Just Alike, Only Different.

State Treasurer Stuefer boasts that because of the investment of all school funds he will have no cash to turn over to his successor. One of his predecessors tried also to reduce the amount of cash he would have to turn over, only he experimented with another plan.—Omaha Bee.

Yes, and if Mr. Stuefer had experimented with the "other plan" no doubt he would be turned loose by a republican governor to take part in Nebraska politics as Joseph Bartley was.

W. A. Bissell was in from the ranch Wednesday.

COST SALE!

My entire stock of clothing, hats, caps, shoes and furnishing goods is now on sale at actual cost. I am going out of business and have all my fixtures also on sale at cost.

500 Men's Suits at cost.
190 Boys' Suits at cost.
200 Overcoats at cost.
\$1,000 worth of Furnishings at cost.
\$1,500 worth of Shoes at cost.
\$700 worth of Shirts at cost.
\$450 worth of Underwear at cost.
\$160 worth of Trunks and Grips at cost.

Overclothes, Gloves, Mittens, Jewelry, Rain Coats, Overshoes, Leggings, Comforts and Blankets, etc., all for just what they cost at wholesale, no freight added.

J. F. FLEMING.